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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004, Applicant responds to the restriction requirement as follows:

In the Restriction Requirement the claims were divided into two groups.

Group I. - Claims 31-43, 48-62 and 64 drawn to a hand-off method initiated by a cellular communications system; and


Group II. - Claims 44-47 and 63, drawn to a hand-off method initiated by a mobile station.

Applicants elect Group II, Claims 44-47 and 63, for further prosecution on the merits.

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